

Amendments to the Specification:

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TITLE OF THE INVENTION

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RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application is filed under 35 U.S.C. § 371 claiming priority from application PCT/EP2003/011366 filed October 14, 2003; claiming priority from European application EP 02023572.7 filed October 23, 2002, the entire contents of each application are incorporated herein by reference.

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BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

Please add on page 1, before line 4, the following new subsection heading:

Background Art.

Please replace the paragraph on page 1, beginning with line 10, with the following amended paragraph:

WO 94/10970 describes a solubilizer containing monoalkyl citrates with C₇₋₁₀ alkyl groups as an ingredient of perfumes, cosmetic compositions, such as body cleansing and care preparations, and textiles. **DE 199 45 478 A1** **DE 199 45 578 A1** describes cosmetic and/or pharmaceutical preparations which, besides alkyl and/or alkenyl oligoglycosides, contain hydroxycarboxylic acid partial esters or salts thereof.

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BRIEF SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

Please add the following new heading on page 2, before line 10:

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION

Please replace the heading on page 11, line 1, with the following amended heading:

CLAIMS What is claimed is:

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Amendments to the Claims: